Perseus and Medusa Questions

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| 1. Who were Perseus' mother and father? | 2. What is a Gorgon? | 3. What presents did Perseus receive?  | 4. Who was the evil king? |
| **Zeus and Danae** | **A Gorgon is a mythological monster that is with the bodies of women, hair of snakes, teeth like the tusks of a boar, sharp claws and wings of gold.**  | **Helmet, winged shoes, a sharp knife and a bronze shield** | **Polydektes** |
| 5. What happens if you look into a Gorgon’s eyes? | 6. Who gave Perseus the presents and why? | 7. Why was Andromeda crying? | 8. How did Perseus kill the monster? |
| **You turn to stone** | **Athena, Goddess of war, because she did not like Medusa** | **She was going to get eaten by a sea monster.** | **The Gorgon - He cut off her head.****The Sea Monster – pulled out the head of Medusa and turned the monster to stone.**  |
| 9. What was the name of the Gorgon that Perseus killed? | 10. What happened to Polydectes in the end? | 11. What happened to Andromeda in the end? | 12. What present was the most useful and why? |
| **Medusa** | **He turned to stone because he looked at the face of Medusa** | **She is saved by Perseus and marries him.** | **The shield because it kept Perseus from looking at Medusa** |